

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Police – Mercy Petition of Sri P. Somasekhar, formerly S.I. of Police, Malkipuram P.S. East Godavari District against the modified punishment “PPI for one year without cumulative effect” – Punishment set aside – Orders – Issued.

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**HOME (SERVICES-II) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.162**

**Dated:10-02-2015  
Read the following:-**

- 1 From Sri P. Somasekhar, formerly S.I. of Police, Malkipuram P.S. East Godavari District. Dt. 03.02.2012
2. Govt.Memo.No.2542/Ser.II/A3/2012, dt. 2.3.2012.
3. From the D.G.P., A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.228 /Appeal-3/2012, dated: 25-09-2012.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, Sri Pitta Somasekhar, Inspector of Police (Civil), East Godavari District formerly S.I. of Police while enclosing the orders dt.25.1.2012 of Hon’ble APAT in O.A. No.10264/2011 filed by him has requested the Government to set aside the punishment of “PPI for one year without cumulative effect”.

2. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that Sri Pitta Somasekhar, Inspector of Police (Civil), East Godavari District, was given a charge under Rule-22 of A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991 (Minor Penalty) for the following delinquency:-

**“Exhibiting gross neglect of duty and reprehensible conduct by not registering any case or showing any arrest of accused though both offences were confessed by the offender and thereby indulging in burking of crime”.**

3. The Superintendent of Police, East Godavari District, duly following the procedure prescribed in the A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991, awarded the punishment of “PPI for 2 years without cumulative effect”, in Proceedings C.No.3/PR/1998, dated: 20-01-1998.

4. His appeal petition was considered and rejected by the Appellate Authority i.e. the D.I.G, Eluru Range, Eluru, in Proceedings C.No.179/Appeal-3/ 2000, dt.13-11-2000.

5. His revision petition was considered and rejected by the Revision Authority i.e. the Addl. D.G.P.(Admn.), Hyderabad, in Proceedings No.744/Appeal-2 /2004, dt.31-08-2004.

6. His mercy petition was considered and the punishment of “PPI for two years without cumulative effect” was modified to that of “PPI for one year without cumulative effect”, in G.O.Rt.No.480, Home (Ser-II) Dept., dated: 14-03-2006.

7. Not contended with the above orders, the petitioner has submitted 2<sup>nd</sup> mercy petition to Govt. and the same was rejected by the Govt. in Memo No.37254/Ser.II/A/ 2008-4, dated: 26-6-2010.

8. Aggrieved with the above orders, the individual filed an OA No. 10264 /2011 and the Hon’ble APAT in its orders dated 25.1.2012 while suspending the impugned Memo No. 37254/Ser.II/A2/2009-4, dated 26-06-2010 issued by the Government has directed the Govt. to pass a detailed and reasoned order, after considering the grounds raised by the applicant in his representation dated: 22-11-2008.

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9. Government, after careful examination of the matter, with the records made available, hereby set aside the modified punishment of PPI for one year without cumulative effect", imposed on Sri Pitta Somasekhar, Inspector of Police (Civil), East Godavari District, formerly SI of Police, Malkipuram PS, East Godavari District.

10. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary further action accordingly in the matter. The records received through the letter 3<sup>rd</sup> cited, are returned herewith and receipt of the same should be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.B. PRASADA RAO  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Director General of Police,  
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad (with records).  
**Copy to:-** The individual concerned  
(through D.G.P., A.P., Hyderabad)  
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SECTION OFFICER